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## Cathedrals of Europe

Below are a number of Cathedrals built in the 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Century. Using the internet search engines including, Google or Yahoo images, look at the Cathedrals and give a description of three of the cathedrals. Page 231-233 of the Textbook will also help you answer the questions.

The greatest buildings of this period include Notre Dame, Paris; Chartres Cathedral, Rouen Cathedral in France, Antwerp Cathedral in Belgium, Strasbourg Cathedral, Cologne Cathedral in Germany, St Stephen's Cathedral Vienna in Austria, Florence Cathedral, Siena Cathedral, Milan Cathedral in Italy, Burgos Cathedral in Spain, Salisbury Cathedral, Canterbury Cathedral and Lincoln Cathedral in England.

1. When was it built?
2. How tall is it?
3. Find a picture showing the overview of the Cathedral, what is the shape of the Cathedral?
4. These Cathedrals are called Gothic Cathedrals, what makes them Gothic?
5. What is a Romanesque Cathedral?
6. What is a flying buttress?
7. How long did it take to build the Cathedral?
8. Look at a 3 to 4 pictures of the Cathedral and describe what you see.
9. How do you think the townspeople in the diocese of the Church felt about the Cathedral?